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# Statistical Release

## Monthly Statistical Report — Wines

| ITEM  | December    |             | 3 Months Ending December 31 |             |
|---|-------------|-------------|-----------------------------|-------------|
|   | 1985        | 1984        | 1985                        | 1984        |
| (Wine gallons)                                  |             |             |                             |             |
| <b>STILL WINES (BULK)</b>                       |             |             |                             |             |
| Production:                                     |             |             |                             |             |
| Removed from fermenters 1/.....                 | 18,417,358  | 19,141,368  | 168,544,568                 | 145,762,292 |
| Increases after fermentation:                   |             |             |                             |             |
| By sweetening.....                              | 1,010,725   | 1,362,135   | 3,990,755                   | 4,554,320   |
| By addition of wine spirits.....                | 536,394     | 245,117     | 3,704,681                   | 2,721,357   |
| By amelioration.....                            | 169,869     | 29,872      | 597,806                     | 619,241     |
| Production, total.....                          | 20,134,346  | 20,778,492  | 176,837,810                 | 153,657,210 |
| Withdrawals:                                    |             |             |                             |             |
| Taxable:  |             |             |                             |             |
| Not over 14% alcohol (\$.17 per gallon).....    | 113,097     | 150,553     | 307,542                     | 911,782     |
| Over 14% and not over 21% alcohol (\$.67).....  | 60,305      | 66,162      | 215,128                     | 192,652     |
| Over 21% and not over 24% alcohol (\$2.25)..... | -           | -           | -                           | -           |
| Taxable, total.....                             | 173,402     | 216,715     | 522,670                     | 1,104,434   |
| Tax-free:                                       |             |             |                             |             |
| Production of effervescent wines.....           | 2,440,741   | 2,601,770   | 10,615,182                  | 9,540,858   |
| Production of vinegar.....                      | 218,025     | 148,720     | 971,574                     | 592,897     |
| Production of non-beverage wine:                |             |             |                             |             |
| Not over 14% alcohol.....                       | 98,178      | 100,661     | 363,970                     | 341,395     |
| Over 14% alcohol.....                           | 73,990      | 124,908     | 256,966                     | 312,367     |
| For use as distilling material 2/.....          | 2,008,230   | 656,921     | 6,195,570                   | 11,063,149  |
| Exports.....                                    | 107,393     | 179,614     | 595,284                     | 552,057     |
| Tax-free, total.....                            | 4,946,557   | 3,812,594   | 18,998,546                  | 22,402,723  |
| Stocks end-of-month total:                      |             |             |                             |             |
| Not over 14% alcohol.....                       | 491,182,874 | 532,685,151 |                             |             |
| Over 14% and not over 21% alcohol.....          | 42,027,268  | 44,979,003  |                             |             |
| Over 21% and not over 24% alcohol.....          | 6,642,811   | 5,175,775   |                             |             |
| Stocks end-of-month, total.....                 | 539,852,953 | 582,839,929 |                             |             |
| <b>STILL WINES (BOTTLED)</b>                    |             |             |                             |             |
| Bottled.....                                    | 29,811,585  | 26,529,661  | 89,835,019                  | 88,717,253  |
| Taxable withdrawals:                            |             |             |                             |             |
| Not over 14% alcohol.....                       | 26,331,569  | 24,772,998  | 86,202,951                  | 86,423,494  |
| Over 14% and not over 21% alcohol.....          | 4,018,175   | 3,606,781   | 12,030,779                  | 12,773,771  |
| Over 21% and not over 24% alcohol.....          | 294         | 2           | 367                         | 18          |
| Taxable withdrawals, total.....                 | 30,350,038  | 28,379,781  | 98,234,097                  | 99,197,283  |
| Tax-free, export.....                           | 253,399     | 227,409     | 1,620,982                   | 922,561     |
| Withdrawals, total.....                         | 30,603,437  | 28,607,190  | 99,855,079                  | 100,119,844 |
| Stocks end-of-month:                            |             |             |                             |             |
| Not over 14% alcohol.....                       | 51,019,501  | 50,245,357  |                             |             |
| Over 14% and not over 21% alcohol.....          | 3,683,752   | 4,819,039   |                             |             |
| Over 21% and not over 24% alcohol.....          | 635         | 396         |                             |             |
| Stocks end-of-month, total.....                 | 54,703,888  | 55,064,792  |                             |             |
| <b>EFFERVESCENT WINES (BULK AND BOTTLED)</b>    |             |             |                             |             |
| Produced.....                                   | 2,336,800   | 2,789,607   | 10,980,478                  | 10,816,862  |
| Bottled.....                                    | 3,353,409   | 3,179,630   | 12,212,658                  | 10,724,083  |
| Taxable withdrawals:                            |             |             |                             |             |
| Artificially carbonated.....                    | 93,807      | 3,665       | 179,753                     | 19,659      |
| Naturally carbonated.....                       | 3,727,982   | 4,181,392   | 13,797,335                  | 14,597,190  |
| Taxable withdrawals, total.....                 | 3,821,789   | 4,185,057   | 13,977,088                  | 14,616,849  |
| Tax-free, export.....                           | 31,233      | 21,212      | 162,989                     | 141,651     |
| Withdrawals, total.....                         | 3,853,022   | 4,206,269   | 14,140,077                  | 14,758,500  |
| Stocks end-of-month.....                        | 14,683,822  | 16,387,086  |                             |             |

NOTE: Vermouth and other special natural still wines taxable withdrawals and stocks are included in still wines. Other special natural carbonated wines taxable withdrawals and stocks are included in effervescent wines.

1/ Excludes substandard wines produced as distilling material for the production of brandy.

2/ Additional wine expressly produced as distilling material.

MONTHLY STATISTICAL RELEASE (WINES Continued) December 1985

| Bulk Wine<br>Gallons By States | Production 1/ | Still wines             |                     |                         |                     | Special natural wines |                        |                        |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-------------------------|---------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|------------------------|
|                                |               | Taxable withdrawals     |                     | Stocks end-of-month     |                     | Vermouth              |                        |                        |
|                                |               | Not over<br>14% alcohol | Over 14%<br>alcohol | Not over<br>14% alcohol | Over 14%<br>alcohol | Production            | Taxable<br>withdrawals | Stocks<br>end-of-month |
| Arkansas                       | -             | -                       | -                   | 480,407                 | 98,948              | -                     | -                      | -                      |
| California                     | 14,756,213    | 106,270                 | 40,776              | 460,528,747             | 43,233,713          | 458,939               | 364,721                | 2,092,753              |
| Florida                        | 44,621        | -                       | 3,499               | 106,635                 | 73,557              | -                     | -                      | -                      |
| Illinois                       | -             | -                       | -                   | 17,976                  | 48,309              | -                     | -                      | -                      |
| Indiana                        | 7,331         | -                       | -                   | 62,603                  | 42,779              | -                     | -                      | -                      |
| Iowa                           | 2,516         | -                       | -                   | 18,248                  | 3,929               | -                     | -                      | -                      |
| Maryland                       | 1,357         | -                       | -                   | 65,950                  | -                   | -                     | -                      | -                      |
| Michigan                       | 41,892        | 180                     | -                   | 757,195                 | 120,284             | -                     | -                      | -                      |
| Missouri                       | 37,751        | -                       | 5,464               | 348,404                 | 26,823              | 9                     | 816                    | 474                    |
| New Jersey                     | 27,820        | -                       | -                   | 138,217                 | 3,732               | -                     | -                      | -                      |
| New Mexico                     | 769           | -                       | -                   | 360,390                 | 130                 | -                     | -                      | -                      |
| New York                       | 2,158,098     | 798                     | 1,106               | 20,549,019              | 4,194,186           | 27,912                | 30,268                 | 86,106                 |
| Ohio                           | 74,358        | 2,505                   | 110                 | 769,660                 | 195,535             | 2,162                 | 737                    | 3,225                  |
| Oregon                         | 161,235       | -                       | -                   | 680,289                 | 50                  | -                     | -                      | -                      |
| Pennsylvania                   | 124,783       | -                       | -                   | 336,407                 | 44,758              | -                     | -                      | -                      |
| Virginia                       | 332,513       | -                       | -                   | 480,354                 | 170,019             | -                     | -                      | -                      |
| Washington                     | 210,632       | -                       | -                   | 3,114,360               | 15,639              | -                     | -                      | -                      |
| Wisconsin                      | 7,919         | -                       | -                   | 31,586                  | -                   | -                     | -                      | -                      |
| Others 2/                      | 427,500       | 3,344                   | 9,350               | 2,336,427               | 397,688             | 1,054                 | -                      | 1,113                  |
| Total                          | 18,417,358    | 113,097                 | 60,305              | 491,182,874             | 48,670,079          | 490,076               | 396,542                | 2,183,676              |

| Bulk Wine<br>Gallons By States | Production | Special natural wines  |                        |            | Effervescent wines                  |                                  |                        |
|--------------------------------|------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------|
|                                |            | Other                  |                        |            | Taxable withdrawals                 |                                  |                        |
|                                |            | Taxable<br>withdrawals | Stocks<br>end-of-month | Production | Artificially<br>Carbonated<br>wines | Naturally<br>Carbonated<br>wines | Stocks<br>end-of-month |
| Arkansas                       | -          | -                      | -                      | -          | -                                   | -                                | 5,639                  |
| California                     | 1,903,696  | 1,353,451              | 3,515,477              | 1,981,537  | -                                   | -                                | 3,025,239              |
| Florida                        | 1,924      | 1,755                  | 129                    | -          | -                                   | -                                | 1,697                  |
| Illinois                       | -          | -                      | -                      | -          | -                                   | -                                | -                      |
| Indiana                        | 33         | -                      | 350                    | -          | -                                   | -                                | 154                    |
| Maryland                       | 4,905      | 6,315                  | 312                    | -          | -                                   | -                                | -                      |
| Michigan                       | 3,205      | 3,137                  | 13,010                 | 2,117      | -                                   | -                                | 8,199                  |
| Missouri                       | 29         | 205                    | 1,293                  | 332        | -                                   | -                                | 2,752                  |
| New Jersey                     | 1,410      | 1,513                  | 3,017                  | -          | -                                   | -                                | 3,684                  |
| New York                       | 162,556    | 152,662                | 200,732                | 339,749    | -                                   | -                                | 2,071,517              |
| Ohio                           | 3,659      | 5,075                  | 5,107                  | 10,455     | -                                   | -                                | 25,933                 |
| Oregon                         | -          | -                      | -                      | -          | -                                   | -                                | 13,961                 |
| Pennsylvania                   | -          | 791                    | 384                    | 271        | -                                   | -                                | 1,921                  |
| Virginia                       | -          | -                      | -                      | -          | -                                   | -                                | -                      |
| Washington                     | -          | -                      | -                      | -          | -                                   | -                                | 927                    |
| Wisconsin                      | -          | 158                    | 540                    | -          | -                                   | -                                | -                      |
| Others 2/                      | 2,238      | 2,622                  | 1,224                  | 2,339      | -                                   | -                                | 44,226                 |
| Total                          | 2,083,665  | 2,027,684              | 3,741,575              | 2,336,300  | -                                   | -                                | 10,205,909             |

1/ Removed from fermenters exclusive of distilling materials.  
 2/ Excludes: Alaska, Kansas, Nevada, and Vermont.

MONTHLY STATISTICAL RELEASE - WINES (Continued) - December 1985

| Bottled Wine<br>Gallons<br>By States | Still wines         |                         |                     |                         |                     | Effervescent wines  |                                     |                                  |                        |
|--------------------------------------|---------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------|
|                                      | Taxable withdrawals |                         |                     | Stocks end-of-month     |                     | Taxable withdrawals |                                     |                                  |                        |
|                                      | Bottled             | Not over<br>14% alcohol | Over 14%<br>alcohol | Not over<br>14% alcohol | Over 14%<br>alcohol | Bottled             | Artificially<br>carbonated<br>wines | Naturally<br>carbonated<br>wines | Stocks<br>end-of-month |
| Arkansas                             | 52,601              | 17,728                  | 19,118              | 51,741                  | 15,810              | 1,210               | -                                   | 1,879                            | 2,233                  |
| California                           | 25,801,625          | 23,590,004              | 2,439,231           | 44,669,174              | 2,793,492           | 3,055,183           | 91,951                              | 3,257,609                        | 4,011,049              |
| Florida                              | 34,760              | 33,527                  | -                   | 210,267                 | -                   | 190                 | -                                   | 190                              | 1,254                  |
| Illinois                             | 46,859              | 2,020                   | 69,685              | 13,853                  | 20,664              | -                   | -                                   | 13                               | 633                    |
| Indiana                              | 14,482              | 4,311                   | 32,554              | 47,433                  | 34,457              | -                   | -                                   | -                                | -                      |
| Iowa                                 | 1,802               | 2,062                   | 245                 | 2,165                   | 188                 | -                   | -                                   | -                                | -                      |
| Maryland                             | 44,481              | 44,486                  | 6,315               | 40,223                  | 298                 | -                   | -                                   | -                                | -                      |
| Michigan                             | 32,093              | 17,121                  | 12,146              | 134,831                 | 29,000              | 5,208               | 354                                 | 4,402                            | 10,038                 |
| Missouri                             | 41,416              | 47,758                  | 14,438              | 286,707                 | 19,315              | 661                 | -                                   | 815                              | 4,580                  |
| New Jersey                           | 10,051              | 16,847                  | 576                 | 53,795                  | 1,010               | 3,459               | -                                   | 3,539                            | 5,679                  |
| New Mexico                           | 4,421               | 3,805                   | -                   | 13,046                  | 42                  | -                   | -                                   | -                                | -                      |
| New York                             | 2,970,149           | 1,755,720               | 1,052,792           | 2,154,037               | 631,551             | 269,012             | -                                   | 412,002                          | 341,056                |
| Ohio                                 | 96,985              | 130,006                 | 8,170               | 153,714                 | 21,092              | 11,389              | -                                   | 22,355                           | 14,190                 |
| Oregon                               | 17,579              | 42,390                  | 128                 | 437,348                 | 1,755               | 495                 | -                                   | 461                              | 457                    |
| Pennsylvania                         | 189,673             | 224,293                 | 56,684              | 222,421                 | 62,404              | 1,038               | 695                                 | 6,027                            | 9,766                  |
| Virginia                             | 219,243             | 49,005                  | 204,512             | 103,238                 | 19,541              | -                   | -                                   | 8,859                            | 12,946                 |
| Washington                           | 35,716              | 184,886                 | 172                 | 2,003,597               | 9,424               | 43                  | 110                                 | 708                              | 48,643                 |
| Wisconsin                            | 2,915               | 2,897                   | -                   | 22,931                  | -                   | -                   | -                                   | 86                               | 761                    |
| Others 1/                            | 194,734             | 161,702                 | 101,703             | 396,980                 | 24,344              | 5,521               | 697                                 | 9,317                            | 14,688                 |
| Total                                | 29,911,585          | 26,332,569              | 4,018,469           | 51,019,501              | 3,684,367           | 3,353,409           | 93,807                              | 3,727,982                        | 4,477,913              |

| ITEM | December |      | 3 Months Ending December 31 |      |
|------|----------|------|-----------------------------|------|
|      | 1985     | 1984 | 1985                        | 1984 |

SPECIAL NATURAL WINES

VERMOUTH:

|                          |           |           |           |           |
|--------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Production.....          | 490,076   | 488,068   | 968,075   | 1,022,485 |
| Taxable withdrawals..... | 396,542   | 379,301   | 1,235,116 | 1,292,550 |
| Stocks end-of-month..... | 2,183,676 | 2,173,604 |           |           |

OTHER SPECIAL NATURAL WINE

Production:

|                              |           |           |           |           |
|------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Not over 14% alcohol.....    | 1,331,324 | 1,128,774 | 2,901,133 | 2,793,282 |
| Over 14% alcohol.....        | 723,880   | 919,263   | 2,354,152 | 2,708,030 |
| Artificially carbonated..... | 192       | 75        | 6,604     | 1,497     |
| Naturally carbonated.....    | 28,269    | 9,380     | 78,547    | 80,848    |
| Total.....                   | 2,083,665 | 2,057,492 | 5,340,436 | 5,583,657 |

Taxable withdrawals:

|                              |           |           |           |           |
|------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Not over 14% alcohol.....    | 1,048,907 | 1,100,153 | 2,959,180 | 3,170,132 |
| Over 14% alcohol.....        | 933,191   | 1,556,235 | 2,929,900 | 3,128,360 |
| Artificially carbonated..... | 463       | 228       | 2,708     | 1,794     |
| Naturally carbonated.....    | 45,123    | 11,892    | 118,754   | 131,170   |
| Total.....                   | 2,027,684 | 2,668,508 | 6,010,542 | 6,431,456 |

Stocks end-of-month:

|                              |           |           |  |  |
|------------------------------|-----------|-----------|--|--|
| Not over 14% alcohol.....    | 2,232,994 | 2,646,717 |  |  |
| Over 14% alcohol.....        | 1,464,077 | 2,828,956 |  |  |
| Artificially carbonated..... | 1,293     | 1,033     |  |  |
| Naturally carbonated.....    | 43,211    | 12,985    |  |  |
| Total.....                   | 3,741,575 | 5,489,691 |  |  |

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|                          |           |           |            |           |
|--------------------------|-----------|-----------|------------|-----------|
| Production.....          | 4,360,579 | 1,513,606 | 12,219,913 | 6,474,753 |
| Taxable withdrawals..... | 3,914,611 | 1,435,689 | 11,676,452 | 5,797,449 |
| Stocks end-of-month..... | 4,612,695 | 2,259,182 |            |           |

DISTILLING MATERIAL

|  |            |           |            |            |
|--|------------|-----------|------------|------------|
| Production: California.....            | 8,958,443  | 4,589,865 | 51,609,705 | 45,490,181 |
| Florida.....                           | 8,124      | 7,108     | 16,931     | 17,695     |
| Others.....                            | -          | -         | -          | -          |
| Removed to distilled spirits plants... | 15,682,723 | 3,777,555 | 77,058,782 | 59,158,742 |

VINEGAR STOCKS

|                                |        |   |        |   |
|--------------------------------|--------|---|--------|---|
| Removed to vinegar plants..... | 20,433 | - | 35,822 | - |
|--------------------------------|--------|---|--------|---|

1/ Excludes: Alaska, Kansas, Nevada, and Vermont.